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## MOTION OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF THE FILING OF SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION IN RESPONSE TO ORDER NO. 2313

(January 15, 2015)

Order No. 2313 (Dec. 31, 2014) set January 5, 2015, as the due date for certain supplemental information promised by the Postal Service in its FY 2014 ACR. The Postal Service hereby moves for late acceptance of its filing of that supplemental information.

In its FY 2014 Annual Compliance Report, filed on December 29, 2014, the Postal Service noted that it was unable to provide information required to be filed as part of this year's Annual Compliance Review due to the unavailability of operations staff during the peak holiday mailing season.<sup>1</sup> The supplemental information responds to directives from the Annual Compliance Determination Reports for Fiscal Years 2010 and 2013, which seek updates on operational and pricing initiatives relating to Standard Mail Flats and Periodicals.<sup>2</sup> The Postal Service committed to filing this information in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> United States Postal Service FY2014 Annual Compliance Report (hereinafter "ACR 2014"), PRC Docket No. ACR2014 (Dec. 29, 2014), at 19 n.7; <u>Id</u>. at 32 n.14.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> FY 2010 Annual Compliance Determination Report, PRC Docket No. ACR2010 (Mar. 29, 2011), at 107; Annual Compliance Determination Report Fiscal Year 2013, PRC Docket No. ACR2013 (Mar. 27, 2014), at 7.

early January.<sup>3</sup> Subsequently, in Order No. 2313, the Commission ordered the Postal Service to provide the supplemental information no later than January 5, 2015.<sup>4</sup>

In response to Order No. 2313, the Postal Service is today providing the currently available supplemental information. The circumstances which lead to the most recent delay in filing are discussed in the cover pleading with which the supplemental information is submitted. The Postal Service regrets the delay.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> ACR 2013, at 19 n.7; <u>Id</u>. at 32 n.14.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Order No. 2313: Notice of Postal Service's Filing of Annual Compliance Report and Request for Public Comments, PRC Docket No. ACR2014, at 4 (Dec. 31, 2014).